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MUCH PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM COUNTY TAXATION

Clerk Harry R. Campbell of County Complies Figures

AMOUNTS TO MILLIONS

Raiiroads, Water Companies and Public Utilities in List-Pay State Tax

At the request of the State Tax Commission recently authorized by the last legislature, Harry R. Campbell, chief clerk to the county commissioners, has compiled a list of the properties in the county that are exempt from local taxation by reason of being a part of the equipment of corprations that are taxed for State purposes, on their capital stock. The total amounts to $16,135,000.

Mr. Campbell's report, which took two weeks to complete, includes railroads, right of ways, station houses, yards, etc., street railway lines, etc., gas companies, oil companies, water companies, electric light companies and telephone and telegraph companies.

The following shows the total in this county as compiled by Mr. Campbell: Railroads, $11,000,000; street railways, $2,330,000; gas companies, $500,000; oil companies $250,000; water companies, $1,750,000; electric light companies, $300,000 and telephone and telegraph companies, $5,000, making a grand total of $16,135,000 worth of property in the county that is exempt from all local taxation.

The object of the State Tax Commission in gathering this information is to ascertain the amount of property that is exempt from taxation over the State. Under present court rulings corporations that pay State tax on their capital stock and earnings are exempt from local taxation, the courts deciding that the right of way, station buildings and other accessories of railroads are a part of the equipment which the capital stock represents. By means of this tax on corporations individual taxation for State purposes reduced to a minimum, and in no State is individual taxation for State purposes so low as in Pennsylvania.

There are many who believe that corporations should be taxed for local purposes, and as there is a constantly growing demand for more revenue, the province of the commission is to dig up something more to tax. This is why they're looking things over.

Announcement.

The Ladies Circle of the Christian church invite the members and friends of the church to be present at a demonstration of "Wear Ever" aluminum cooking utensils in the church basement, Monday evening, July 15 at 7:30. A lunch will be served and a souvenir will be given each person present. All members are urged to be present. 290-t2p

Miss Lavina Schafer, of Smock is a guest of Miss Manie Moffitt of Crest avenue.

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Has Trouble With Boys

Police Regulate Big Disturbances With Greater Ease Than Small Ones

Boy offenders are giving Chief of Police C. W. Albright and his force more trouble these days than adults who tread other than in the broad and narrow path. In fact so troublesome have some of the youngsters become in some respects that action against their parents is contemplated. One of the troubles is experienced about the theatres. Particularly at the rear of the Coyle theatre has their behavior been offensive. In order to afford his patrons a cooling draught of air through the theatre Manager Coyle keeps the rear doors open. Groups of boys gather there, but not content with viewing the pictures free of charge indulge in hoodlumism that is most offensive to patrons of the house. An example is likely to be made of the worst offenders.

MONEY ON HAND FOR BUILDING

Sum of $30,000 in Senate Item for Charleroi Edifice

FINAL APPROPRIATION

With the work started on the Charleroi government building, plenty of funds will be forthcoming. This morning it was announced by the treasury department at Washington, D. C., which has charge of building that the senate had approved among other items that of $30,000 for "continuation of building at Charleroi." This will probably be one of the last appropriations for the Charleroi work practically all of the $90,000 for the local work having been appropriated before. The first appropriation was for paying for the site. The next was for making a start on the structure and the last ones for continuation of work.

Today the work of excavation is proceeding at the site of the postoffice. Trenches are being dug the length and breadth of the ground. These trenches will constitute practically all the excavation necessarry. At the same time a tool house is being built for use of George W. Stiles and company, contractors.

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Mrs. J. S. Crawford has left for Atlantic City.

SCALE COMMITTEE OF THE DISTRICT TO MEET TUESDAY

Will Adjust Matters Pertaining to Scale--Charles Pritchard, of Monongahela the New Vice President

A call has been issued for a convention of the scale committee of the Pittsburg District, United Mine Workers of America and operators to be in session next Tuesday at Labor Temple, Pittsburg. The purpose of the convention will be to ratify the scale adopted by the international scale committee and to arbitrate all local matters in the district that may come up for adjustment.

The Pittsburg dictrict after the adoption of a scale last May by the international committee put into effect almost intact, but without the settlement of the details of the scale. This matter it was necessary for the scale committee of the district to carefully consider together with the operators, which will be the purpose of the meeting next week in Pittsburg.

There are matters that in various cases have come up for settlement in the operation of the mines. Some of these relate to dead work and the payment of various claims that are mad for extra work. A number of small grievances have also arisen which must be adjusted.

The scale committee of the district consists of the officers of the district and six members of the executive board. William Green a national board member will assist the scale committee in its work.

Charles Pritchard of Monongahela has been elected the vice president of the Pittsburg district, to take the place of Van Bittner, whose appointment to the presidency left the position vacant. He assumed his duties on Monday of this week.

PROMISE OF STEADY WORK NECESSARY TO BRING BACK LABORERS

Foreign People Would Rather Stay in Their Native Land Than to Take Chance While the Political Fight is On

Foreign born people who last winter and spring went back to their homes in the old country to spend some months are not anxious to return to America at this time, in spite of the great demand for labor. Probably few Americans keep as close tab on the conditions of the country as just these laborers and their friends, who contemplate immigrating to America. They state that until after election affairs will be unsettled and they won't come on any indefinite promises, that is all there is to it.

Councilman Frank Riva, the local steamship agen, said this morning that he had experienced a good trade during May and June and that July was proving a fair month. However most of his sales were to tourists. He says that there are few foreign people traveling now. Those in the old country do not care to come back just at this time, and those here, having pretty steady work do not care to go.

The mills and various industries over the country which employ foreign labor have complained of the shortage of labor and have tried in many instances to get Italians, Austrians and those of other races which constitute the bulk of foreign laborers to come. In few cases, however, have they been able to promise steady work, and the man usually known a the ignorant foreigner simply refuses to accept terms under such conditions

LIST OF OFFICERS FOR YEAR ANNOUNCED

Allen Endeavor League Disposes of Important Business at Convention Session--Program Carried Out Intact

The list of officers elected for the ensuing year by the district Allen Endeavor league in joint session with the South Pittsburg A. M. E. Sunday School association at St. James' A. M. E. church here was announced this morning. They are: Vice president, Louis McGee of Canonsburg; recording secretary, Miss Mabel Webster, of Charleroi; corresponding secretary, Miss Johanna Smith, of Washington; district lecturers, Miss Nelle Jackson of Monessen for the Washington district, and Mrs. Alice Washington of Connellsville for the Uniontown district. Presiding elder R. H. Bumery is president of the league by virtue of his office.

This morning's program consisted of devotional service, an address, "The Relation of the Adult Class of the Sunday School," by H. H. Rideout of Charleroi; a paper, "The Necessity of Teacher Training," by Miss Margaret Wilson of Canonsburg with a discussion by Robert Smith of Waynesburg, and a round table conducted by Rev. C. A. McGee. The convention adjourns tonight.

Wednesday evening the program as announced was carried out, with an address by Charles Lannon of Brownsville an address by Prof T. H. Brown of Vanderbilt, a solo by Miss Rosella Thomas, of Charleroi, and a talk by Rev. J. T. Hackett of the First Presbyterian church, Charleroi.

Business Men to Meet.

The Charleroi Business Men's Association will meet tonight in regular session. It is stated important matters are to be brought up and a good attendance is desired.

Mrs. Joyce Dead.

Word has been received from Greensburg to the effect that Mrs. Michael Joyce, formerly of Charleroi, had died. The body will be brought to Charleroi for interment.

Miss Alice Milsom of Butler is visiting at the home of her cousin Mrs. C. A. Barnett of North Charleroi.

Will Visit in Tennesee

Miss Vida Goehring left for Chattanooga, Tenn., Tuesday evening, where she will be the guest of her uncle Geo. J. Goehring and family for several weeks. She will visit Chicamauga National Park, Lookout mountain and other points of historic interest.

George Jenion of North Charlero. left Tuesday for a visit with his brother William of Toronto, Canada.

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MAY CLOSE BRIDGE TO TRAFFIC TEMPORARILY

More Trouble Experienced at the Belle Vernon Structure

REPORTED DANGEROUS

Watchman Regards it as in Bad Shape--Commissioners Given Cause to Worry

When Washington and Fayette county freed the Monongahela river bridge connecting Belle Vernon and Speers, they immediately got into trouble. First the two counties condemned the bridge and by the usual process of viewing set a price on it that they thought would do for the Belle Vernon Bridge company, which owed the structure. The Belle Vernon Bridge company didn't figure the same way and argued so effectively that they got nearly what they asked in the first place. Before this trouble was near an end, it was discovered that the bridge didn't jibe right, one pier was lopsided and the other one looked to an engineer as though it had been on a drunk. The boards of the bridge were in bad shape, and other things were in similar condition. Now it is to be repaired and partly reconstructed. While this is going on it is feared there won't be any free bridge for use at all betwe the counties.

Van Hixenbaugh, the effici watchman for the two counties, notified the county officials that bridge is in bad shape and really is dangerous. Commissioner A. P. Barnum of Washington, it is said agrees. The result will be, it is believed that orders will be issued shortly to close the bridge as a means of traffic for vehicles until such time as it can be put in passable shape.

The commissioners are advertising for bids for the necessary repairs to thes tructure but it will necessarily be several weeks after the contract is let before work will begin, as the material will have to be shipped and workmen supplied. It is said that the commissioners will draw up such a contract as to force the one getting it to put all the workmen possible on the job and rush it to completion.

Boy Breaks Big Window

Throw Stone Through Plate Glass at North Charleroi School

That "Satan finds some mischief still for idle hands to do," was exemplified down at North Charleroi Wednesday evening, when a large plate glass window 36 by 18 inches in the new school building there was broken by boys throwing stones. A pile of gravel was left above the school house by the contractors, and there idle boys of the community have been in the habit of congregating and throwing stones and pebbles at the school house. Residents living near have several times tried to chase the boys away, fearing that the windows of the school house would be broken, but could not abate the nuisance. The damage of the broken plate glass window will amount to considerable.

REPMAN FUNERAL IS HELD

Friends Pay Last Respects to Memory of Mrs. H. J. Repman

FLORAL TRIBUTES MANY

Hundreds of friends from Charleroi and surrounding towns paid their last respects to the memory of Mrs. Eleanor M. Repman, wife of Dr. Harry J. Repman, Wednesday afternoon when funeral services were held at the late home on Fifth street. The services were conducted at 2 o'clock by Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of which Mrs. Repman was a member and by Rev. F. A. Richards, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church. Rev. Hackett preached the sermon and Rev. Richards offered the prayer. A picked choir furnished the music. During the services the drug stores in town were closed.

Innumerable beautiful floral tributes were given out of respect for the deceased. Among these were two baskets formed of flowers, one the presentation of the Athene Club, and the other of the Friday Afternoon club of which organizations Mrs. Repman was a member. Others bestowing floral offerings were: The Men's Community Club, the Charleroi Business Men's Association, Charleroi Lodge No. 494, B. P. O. Elks, McKean Commandery No. 80 Knights Templar, Eastern Star Chapters of Charleroi and Monongahela, the Ladies Aid Societies of the First Presbyterian church and of the Methodist Episcopal church, pharmacists,

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INSTITUTE TO BE HELD UNDER SCHOOL CODE

Plans are being laid by the school authorities of Monessen and the Board of Trade of that borough for holding a teacher's institute this year, under provisions of the new school code. The dates of December 2 and December 6, have been determined as the days upon which the institute will be held. Committees have been appointed from the Board of Trade and the School Board to work up the institute, with Ralph H. Thatcher president. The new school code provides for school districts which have 50 or more teachers employed to hold institutes.

C. C. Hollyfield is in Pittsburg on a business trip today.

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ASSIMILATING THE FOREIGNER.

The graduation of an Italian girl in the California normal, who six years previous couldnot speak the English language, is one of the most significant signs of the times. This incident is all the more significant from the fact that the girl has qualified to become a school teacher, and is said to be exceptionally bright and capable.

There are many people who are prone to see trouble ahead in the vast mass of foreigners that is flocking to our shores. The matter of assimilating these foreigners is thought to be an impossibility under present conditions, and the various disorderly outbreaks in the industrial communities where the foreigners are in the ascendency are cited to prove assertions that the foreigner is a menace to the peace and prosperity of the country.

While there may be more or less friction in the process of assimilation, owing to ignorance on both sides of the peculiarities of each other, the work of Americanizing the foreigner is progressng steadily. In Pennsylvania it is all the more rapid on account of the compulsory school law, which compels every foreign child in the state to attend school up to the age of fourteen years, and this is the most potent factor of assimilation that can be employed. It is also a noteworthy fact that the most of the foreigners are willing and anxious to send their children to attend school. There are communities with a large foreign school attendance even the American born certificates of employment issued to minors exceed in proportion those of the foreign born children.

The Italian girl who qualified for teacher will be of inestimable help in the work of assimilation. Knowing the manners, customs and temperament of her fellow country people she can influence them more readily to the ways of the new country, and in this manner clear away the mutual misunderstandings which hamper the work. More of this sort of workers would greatly benefit the country.

A NEW VOCATION.

The item in the news columns of the Mail today that Miss Nelle Ryan, who has charge of the girl's department of the public playgrounds, is visiting the Pittsburg playgrounds, in addition to a new vocation that is opening to bright and progressive young men and women. This is the occupation of playground instructors and it is destined to become as important and widespread as that of instructor in the common branches of learning. Presumably Miss Rylands is visiting the Pittsburg playgrounds in search of new ideas and methods and her trip will no doubt be productive of results.

There are ample reasons why the play and recreation of children out of school should be supervised and directed by the public, the same as their mental and educational training. In fact the proper conduct of life is as much of an essential as the ability to read and write. We compel children to acquire the rudiments of learning for the safety and protection of society and it is beginning to be felt that to compel children to observe the proper ethics of life in their every day conduct is also a public safeguard.

By diverting some of the money that is spent in prosecuting and punishing criminals to preventing children from growing up into criminals is found to be good business, and this is what is opening up the new vocation for bright and capable young men and women.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Some evangelists make painfully apparent unsuccessful efforts to imitate Billy Sunday.

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Monessen with nothing more than a bit of hillside and a number of rocks and some shade trees has the enterprise to have a park. At least they ought to be encouraged.

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It's pretty hard for a farmer with nothing more to do than watch the corn grow and be happy to have a sunstroke.

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The Phohibitionists were careful to make arrangements that they could conscientiously get wet outside even if they couldn't inside.

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Political life is one attack after another.

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It isn't hard for a man to prove he left the evening party early if he takes a gold handled umbrella.

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Uniontown is said to have a Presidential candidate. Shake.

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It is about time the moving picture men were taking cognizance of our Charleroi playgrounds.

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Some newspapers are now saying that Woodrow Wilson is not intelligent, but just sane. However, there are a few people left in this world who would rather trust to luck and Wilson than the newspapers who draw attention by saying things like that.

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So far there have been no fatalities hereabouts as a result of the intense heat, but there have been lots of irritable beings.

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It has been rumored that Roosevelt will ask Taft to withdraw his name from theticket. Let us grasp.

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A Detroit, Mich., man is suing to recover his room rent, alleging that while it was rented to him for sole occupancy, over a million bugs insisted on using his bed as theirs. Naturally the result is awaited with interest.

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A New Jersey man at 89 years is securing a third set of teeth. But then New Jersey folks can afford under stress of circumstances which landed the nomination for Wilson, to be sort of queer.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"When the weather is hot enough to hatch eggs out in the open, you can depend upon it that all previous records are broken," said C. B. Copeland of the government steamboat Slackwater, which is now lying in harbor at Lock No. 4.

Mr. Copeland was reminded that although people often remarked that the temperature was hot enough to cook eggs, the phenomenon of it being sufficiently high to hatch them, sounded somewhat incredible, to say the least.

"That's just exactly what happened," asserted Mr. Copeland. "Down at Lock Four Mrs. J. W. Coyle had a hen setting, who was scheduled to 'come of' one day this week. At the appointed time Mrs. Coyle removed the hen and chicks, but found three unhatched eggs still in the nest. As there had been ample time for them to incubate Mrs. Coyle thought the three were bad ones, and placed them in a box nailed up on the wall of the hen house. The next morning she asked Mr. Coyle to take them out and throw them away and when the latter went to remove the bad eggs he found three lively chicks in their place. The weather was hot enough to keep those eggs at the right temperature; otherwise they'd never have hatched."

Tuesday evening, after the Church league ball game between the Christians and the Methodists, Dale Jolliffe, manager of the Christian team came walking up Fifth street in his uniform, on his way home.

"Did you win, Dale?" asked a fan who had not attended the game.

"Sure," replied Dale. "That's why I'm walking up this street. If we'd lost, you'd have seen me sneaking through the alleys on my way nome."

LOVER

Oscar Carson of Charleroi and brother Russell of Donora spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Carson.

Samuel Morris and family, Curt Pitzer and family spent Sunday at the home of Addison Springer of Lock 4.

Curt Carson and family of Donora, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Carson spent Sunday at the home of Hiram Hannen.

Miss Edith Pester of Coal Centre, visited last week at the home of Kit Carson.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Harris of Twilight spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Harris' daughter, Mrs. Clyde Sphar.

Mrs. Lou Carson and Delbert Carson and family of Charleroi were Sunday guests at the home of Hiram Robison.

Mrs. Mrgaret Richards of California, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. King Winnett spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Winnetts' sister, Mrs. Jesse Lewis near Beallsville.

Hannan Hannen and family of Charleroi visited relatives near here Sunday.

Samuel Hopewell was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Sickman of Belle Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Duvall of Charleroi spent Sunday at the home of the former's father, T. R. Duvall.

friends near Scenery Hill Sunday.

Mrs. Playford Wright and baby of West Pike Run, were recent guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abe McCracken.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. White of California spent the Fourth at the home of the latter's brother, T. R. Duvall.

William Silbaugh and family were Fourth visitors at the home of Hugh Crow near Jonestown.

Sol. Rider of Hayes Station, spent a few days last week with his parents M. and Mrs. Teagarden Rider.

Mrs. Charles Scott and children near Garwood, spent Sunday at the home of her father E. N. Allman.

Mrs. Frank Harrison and Mrs. Clint Cooper near Rogers school house, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Samuel Hopewell.

Miss Mary Pryor near Garwood is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Allman.

Miss Margaret Hyatt spent the Fourth with relatives at Brownsville.

REPMAN FUNERAL HELD YESTERDAY

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and physicians and dentists of Charleroi and the medical association of the valley. In addition to these there were innumerable personal floral tributes.

Interment was in the Monongahela cemetery. The funeral cortage left the home in a blinding rain, but this cleared up by the time of arrival at the cemetery. The pall bearers were chosen from among the fellow physicians of Dr. Repman and were: Dr. T. M. Faddis, Dr. Edwin McKay, Dr. J. Clive Enos, Dr. J. W. Hunter, Dr. J. K. Smith and Dr. F. C. Stahlman.

Attention Eagles.

A special meeting of Charleroi Aerie 390 Fraternal Order of Eagles will be held at the club rooms, 321 McKean avenue on Friday, July 12, at 8 p. m.

Wm. H. Zellers, Jr.,
Secretary.
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Miss Lomis Walton, of Doylestown, Bucks County, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Walton, formerly of North Charleroi, is visiting relatives and friends here.

COUNTY GAINS $5,000 IN INTEREST MONEY

The first six months of business in the office of County Treasurer S. M. Downer ended with June 30 and thus far with one-half the year gone he has established an enviable record for himself and the county, says the Washington Observer. The funds of the county have accumulated interest almost to the amount of $5,000 and the business of the county is firmly intrenched with newer methods and a system second to none in the state. During the month of June the various banks holding the county funds paid into the county treasury $639.66. The whole amount of monies in the treasury at the close of business on June 30 was $390,580.26.

The feature of the county business in this office thus far in the term of Treasurer Downer is the accumulation of dividends on the county funds. The amounts of the various months to date are as follows: January, $904.45; February, $831.92; March, $843.51; April, $752.63; May, $732.83 and June, $639.66, making an aggregate total of $4,705. The next six months of the present year should swell this total considerably. The taxes are now coming in and the amounts in the various banks should increase rapidly.

The amounts in the several funds at the close of business on June 30 the end of the first six months follows: Road fund, $286,509.18; bonded debt, $7,668.12; general account, $26,246.62; dog fund, $488.13; state account, $13,580.41, and bridge bonds, $56,087.80, making a general total of $390,580.26.

The county treasurer and his assistants are kept busy these days receiving the taxes. Each day sees an increase of this business. The county is laid out in districts and taxes are also being received at various centers of the county.

LAID UY BY ILLNESS; SPEED CHARGE WRONG

It's bad enough when, in the exuberance of spirits, one is bowling along the highway in an auto, to get "pinched" on a charge of exceeding the speed limit, but to have this information made against you when you are sick in bed and your machine is being "hostled" in the garage, is adding insult to injury.

This unque experience happened to Kerfoot W. Daly, cashier of the Bank af Charleroi. While it is known that Mr. Daly has in the past been somewhat prone to hit the high places when driving his machine on a clear track, he is cautious enough in populous communities where there is danger. This known characteristic must have been the prompting motive of some individual over at Washington to lodge information against Mr. Daly when, on June 28, some one whizzed through the streets of Washington in a machine, leaving only a streak of smoke and an odor of gasoline as a mark of identity.

"Must have been Kerfoot Daly of Charleroi," was the probable inference of the over zealous individual who made the information, and he based his action accordingly.

Now it so happened that Mr. Daly was lying sick in bed at his home on Fifth street on June 28, and moreover his machine was safely reposing in Spencer's garage, where it had not been taken out from June 15, until some time after the 28th, so that the accused was able to clearly establish an alibi. Accordingly Mr. Daly wrote to Justice of the Peace Carmichael at Washington that there must have been some mistake as to the identity of the offender, and that he could produce affidavits of physicians and neighbors if necessary to the effect that he was wholly incapacitated to break the speed limit on the date mentioned, even if he had been so inclined.

Mr. Daly, who is now convalescent, is at Chalk Hill where, with Mrs. Daly and their little daughter Mary Violet, they are spending a brief vacation in the hope that the former may make more rapid recovery.

WORK TO START SOON ON BROWNSVILLE BRIDGE

By a decision handed down at Washington Wednesday the court practically opens the way for work to start soon on the erection of the proposed bridge between Washington and Fayette counties at Brownsville, which will replace the old structure torn down some time ago. After the old bridge had been razed viewers selected the old site as the location for the erection of the new bridge, but there was a delay about this and a mandamus suit to force the commissioners to erect the bridge was instituted by Thomas McCune and others, although opposition was upon the part of the Fayette county commissioners, since those in Washington county readily agreed to go to work at once.

After this had been decided and the court had said that the commissioners should go ahead McCune brought another suit to restrain the commissioners from erecting the bridge on the same site because, he alleges, the cost would be exorbitant, since extensive approaches would have to be built. By the last decision the court decides that the plaintiffs have failed to prove this assertion and that the commissioners may go to work at once and build the bridge on the site of the former one legally.

TOO REMARKABLE TO FALL

Ruined Old Barn Set Mose an Example and He Proceeded to Get Well.

In their first walk of the season at Wobrook-in-the-Hills the judge and his wife stopped at the Bartons' to inquire for Mose, who was reported to have been "mo'e'n common ailin', 'long back." They found Mrs. Barton in the garden, weeding.

"Yes, he was awful bad all last winter," she said, gradually rising, and straightening up. "First he had grippe, an' that left his heart weak, an' 'long toward March his liver kind o' got out o' whack. Then Mose sent for doctor, an' he called it 'complication o' diseases.'

"'You're a sick man,' says doctor.

"'I know that,' says Mose, 'thout you're tellin' me!' You know his way? 'But this complication, 's you call it, is what stumps me. I guess I'd better get well'—an' he did!"

"Suthin' in that, eh, squire?" said Mose, suddenly appearing from behind the house.

"Much!" asserted the judge.

"Didn't find my argyment in a book, same as you would, squire," Mose continued. "Got it up on the hills, from the old Collin's barn—'member it?"

"I should say I did!" said the judge, smiling reminiscently; "roofless, practically and open on all sides!"

"But kep' a-standin' for nigh thutty year 'cause it was so ramshackle it didn't know which way to fall. My exac expectly!" declared Mose Barton, with a twinkle.

SAVED BY TROUSER BUTTON

Alpine Guide Finds Tiny Article in Rock Cleft and Lost Climbers Are Rescued.

The Alpine guide has practically no knowledge of the use of map and compass; in fact, he is prone to despise their aid, yet how many dozen of lives would have been saved on Mont Blanc alone had such simple aid been appreciated. The professional prefers to rely on his powers of observation and that peculiar instinct sometimes aptly described as the bump of locality. He is alert to detect the slightest traces of predecessors. A party of us were once befogged and had lost all idea of our position on the complicated westerly face of the Riffelhorn. A young guide was with us, and he became so dangerously disconsolate and helpless that one of the amateurs had to take the lead. For some hours we fought with severe difficulties, discouraged meanwhile by our companion's prophecy of certain disaster. His poor old mother was doomed to lose her only support! Things were altogether miserable. Suddenly we came to a ledge on a desperate corner with a steep chimney to the right. The young guide signaled his arrival by my side with a great and startling yodel, a joyous shout as of deliverance. His quick eye had espied a trouser button in the cleft of the chimney, and we knew that we had struck a regular route. That tiny relic of humanity put new life into the faltering one, and he then led us hand over hand to the summit.

—Wide World.

Troublesome Moose of Maine.

Hancock county, which is in southeastern Maine, is suffering a plague of moose and up around the headwaters of Union river and in the region of Saponic and Nickalous lakes the people who stay on farms the year around are calling for help.

Last summer the animals did serious injury to farm crops. This winter, it appears, they have yarded in and fed upon varieties of slash that seemed to be the honest pioneer's last resource. One farmer writes the state commissioners of inland fisheries and game to the effect that several years ago he bought a tract of 200 acres of wild land with the intent to go over it annually and cut out hoop poles. He did that once.

Then, as he expresses it, about the time that thousands of sprouts came up "the moose came in," destroyed the sprouts "and continue annually to destroy at least $200 of poles besides the growth." And this man and his neighbors have no redress short of the ultimate gun, since, though a state law provides reimbursement for crop damages inflicted by deer, moose do not figure in this way in any statute.—Boston Transcript.

Time Signals by Telephone.

A mechanism has been attached to the time-clock at the Hamburg observatory by which the exact official time is transmitted to the telephone system of the city. From the fifty-fifth to sixtieth second of each minute the apparatus transmits a musical signal, which is followed by a phonographic announcement of the exact minute. The signals are transmitted by special wire to the headquarters of the telephone system, and thence to each local exchange. Any telephone subscriber who wishes to get the exact time has only to ask for the time connection at his exchange and to listen for the phonographic announcement. This is an improvement upon the American method by which time signals are transmitted by telegraph only once a day.—Youth's Companion.

Sacrificed to Reform.

"You have abandoned the picturesque custom of crowning a queen of the May?"

"Yes," replied the merry villager; "we had to give it up. There got to be so many candidates and so much campaigning that politics left us no time for business."

An Eye to Economy.

"Now, remember, Ikey, that vos a goot glass eye you've got. Always take it out and put it in your pocket when you ain't looking at noddings."

Error in Conditions Somewhere.

There is something wrong if a man is expected to meditate on eternity when he has no assurance of being able to meet his butcher's bill.

COUNTY OFFICIALS.

County Judges—J. Add McIlvaine, President judge, (term expires January, 1917); J. Frank Taylor, Ad. Law Judge, (term expires January, 1916.)

County Controller—John H. Moffitt Charleroi, 1914.

Sheriff—R. G. Lutton, Washington, 1916.

District Attorney—Richard G. Miller, Washington, 1916.

Treasurer—S. M. Downer, Monongahela, 1916.

Prothonotary— A.V. Lewis, Donora, 1916.

Clerk of Courts—W. S. Lockhart, McDonald, 1916.

Register of Wills—Boyd C. Parshall, Washington, 1916.

Recorder—J. Chester Sutherland, Washington, 1914.

Commissioner—John A. Berry, Houston, 1916; Thomas Hill, Union township, 1916; A. P. Barnum, Allenport, 1916.

Supt of Schools—L. R. Crumrine, Washington, 1914.

Coroner—James Heffran, Speers, 1916.

Director of the Poor—H. D. Brownell, West Brownsville, 1916; R. W. Wolfe, Blaine, 1916; R. C. Buchanan, Washington, 1914.

Jury Commissioner—John W. Dague, West Bethlehem; William Barkley, Nottingham.

County Surveyor—George S. Chaney, Washington, 1906.

County Detective—William McCleary, Monongahela, 1916.

Assembly— John Banks Holland, Cecil, 1912; William Feeney, Charleroi, 1912; Charles A. Bentley, Monongahela, 1912.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Whitlatch of Rices Landing were Sunday visitors in Charleroi.

Another Fourth Story.

He held a cracker in his hand
And let it linger.
A neighbor came in later, and
Returned the finger.

—Johnstown Leader.

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CLEARANCE SALE

Starts Friday, July 12th, 1912, and Lasts Until Monday, July 22, 1912

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Big Reductions throughout the entire store—and the people who wait for this SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE will get some splendid bargains...In the recent Clearance Sales held by the big city wholesalers, we were heavy buyers.. It willbe to your bredit and advantage to attend this sale—for we mean to make a General Clearance all over the store.. Heavy reductions made on all Ladies' Suits, Coats, Skirts, Silk Dresses and in addition—Double S. & H. Green Trading Stamps on all sales of Ready-to-Wear goods.. Note well, it means $20.00 worth of Stamps on every Ten Dollar sale in this Department.—All trimmed Hats at Half-Price and still Double Stamps.

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Ladies' $1.00 White Waists at.....69c
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Wonderful Suit Reductions

Every woman should be interested in this great Half Price Sale. 62 ladies' tailor made suits—new, clean, handsome suits. Among them are 27 blacks. All sizes, including stouts. 11 blue suits, 24 light suits and mixtures. These are positively the best suit values ever offered by this store and are only for this sale. None reserved. First come, first served.

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$25.00 Ladies' Suit sat Half Price.....$12.50
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All Cream Serge Suits Less 25 Per Cent.

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Special Sale of Silk Dresses .and at these erductions you can afford to wear most every day.

Very pretty silk dresses, $12 and $12.50 values, at $9.75
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$25.00 silk dresses on sale at.....$15.00

VOILE SKIRTS

Special sale of these handsome skirts that were $12.50, $13.50, $15.00, to $18.00. Sale price.....$9.00
One lot of $5.00 and $6.00 skirts. Sale price.....$3.75

Ladies Long Coats in serges and fancies, less 25 per cent.
Children's Reefers—a big lot of these pretty light weight coats. They go at one-fourth off.

JULY REDUCTIONS IN MEN'S AND BOY'S SUITS AND FURNISHINGS.

Here's your opportunity to make big sivings—the reductions run from 25 to 50 per cent off. Yes, some suits go oue-fourth off, some suits go one-third off, and a few suits go at half price. It's a clean-up suit sale and every garment is good, clean up-to-date merchandise. Better come today.

Boys' White Duck Pants, 11 to 17 years, 50c values, at.....25c
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Men's 25c Suspenders. Sale price.....9c
One special lot Men's 25c Fancy Sox. Sale price.....12 1-2

SELLING STRAW HATS AT HALF PRICE. IT'S JUST STRAW HAT TIME TOO. GET HERE QUICK. ALL OUR FINEST AND BEST STRAW HATS GO AT HALF PRICE.

One lot of 50c, 75c and $1.00 Straw Hats go at.....25c
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One lot Men's $1.00 Dress Shirts go special.....79c
One lot Men's $1.50 Dress Shirts go special.....$1.15
One lot Men's $1.00 Laundred White Dress Shirts.....39c
One lot Children's Rompers, good value.....25c

Awful cuts on Carpets—on Ladies' Suits—on Trimmed Hats—on Silks and Stamps Free.. Ask for Green Stamps—Free with all Cash Purchases in our store—See Display of these Beautiful Premiums.. We want to assure you that we keep and sell good reliable merchandise.. Come to this Clearance Sale and share in these Summer Bargains.

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To enable a person to keep his face immersed in water for several minutes, as for facial massage, a Washington man has invented a clip to close the nostrils and a rubber tube to admit air through the mouth.

As It Sounded to Him.

"I think," said Mrs. Cumrox, who was arranging a musical programme, "that we will have a mezzo-soprano."
"All right," replied her husband. "Don't bother me about it. Go ahead and see an architect."

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Insist Upon Unhappiness.

A Cincinnati man found nine pearls worth $100 each in a single oyster But some folks will continue to kick about the high price of food.—Pittsburgh Gazette.

Wooden Leg Joke.

Why is it, as a writer in the Bellman points out, that the general sense of humor is stirred when anything happens to a man's wooden leg, such as its loss or a knothole coming in it, or getting it under the cars? It is or was the same way with stealing a man's horse in the Far West. Both of these accidents are serious. Yet they are supposed to be subjects for mirth.—Minneapolis Journal

In Ancient Days.

The chimney corner was a favorite place for early settlers when they took their tobacco. Buckets were the chief reliance of the fire fighters. When an alarm was cried each citizen grabbed his buckets and ran to answer it. If he couldn't respond in an instant he threw his buckets out his window, and his neighbor picked them up and carried them along.

OLD SORES, PILES, BURNS AND SCALDS HEAL VERY QUICKLY

W. F. Hennings, and Piper Bros. sells an ointment called San Cura that surely does do anything it is advertised to do or money back.

Thos. F. McCauley, Coopertown, Pa., cut his finger—blood poison set in—arm swelled terribly—friends despaired—said arm must come off. San Cura Ointment drew out water and dark pus—agony ceased—arm and hand soon as good as ever.

It quickly draws out all poison from sores, fever sores, ulcers, boils, carbuncles, cuts, burns, scalds and bruises and heals without leaving a scar.

For itching, bleeding or protruding piles, nothing can equal it, while thousands of cases are recorded where eczema, tetter and salt rheum were cured in the shortest possible time. San Cura Ointment is 25 and 50 cents a jar.

Everybody should use San Cura Soap, it's antiseptic destroys all germ life, keeps the skin clear, soft and velvety, 25 cents. Thompson Medical Co., Titusville, Pa

Novelist Was the Family Dunce.

Fanny Burney, one of the world's first woman writers, was called the "little dunce" by her parents because she seemed to know less than the other children in the family. She did not know the A B Cs until she was nine years old Her first novel, "Evelina" was written surreptitiously, and won her much fame.

Fireman's Unique Wedding.

A fireman's wedding in a burnt-out church is certainly something of a novelty. Such a wedding has just taken place in the chancel of St. George's, Leicester, the greater part of the building having been destroyed by fire last year. It was the first fireman's wedding in Leicester, and the bridegroom's colleague, formed a guard of honor and arranged an arch of axes, etc., under which the bride and bridegroom passed out after the ceremony. Fireman Sturges, the bridegroom, was among those who fought the flames at St. George's last October.—London Tit-Bits.

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Plattsburg, Miss. — "Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has proved very beneficial to me, for now I am well and have a sweet, healthy baby, and our home is happy.

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Titanic Tolstoi.

Everything in Tolstoi's character, an eminent Russian writer says, attained Titanic proportions. "As a drinker he absorbed fantastic quantities of liquor. As a gambler, he terrified his partners by the boldness of his play. As a soldier he advanced gayly to Bastion 4, the bastion of death, at Sevastopol, and there he made dying men laugh at his witty sayings. He surpassed every one by his prodigious activity in sport as well as literature."

Immediately after the Fourth we'll have

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We have a large line of them which were bargains at $6.50, now 4.98.

Another lot formerly sold for 3.75, now 2.98.

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Classified Ads.

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FOR RENT—Store room. Address "J." Mail office. 290-t4p

WANTED—Man to handle general line of Manifold Registers, office machines and supplies, Charleroi and nearby towns. L. W. Reed, Co., Fourth and Ross street, Pittsburg. 290-t1p

Mrs. M. J. H. Gerwig and daughters Miss Cora and Rhoda, of Wilkinsburg were guests Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Gerwing's son, F. H. M. Gerwig of Washington avenue. Miss Rhoda Gerwing is a student recently home from Wellesley College.

Miss Nelle Ryland, girls' director at the Charleroi playgrounds, and James Ryland are spendng the day in Pittsburg visiting playgrounds.

Dr. J. Clive Enos went to Pittsburg to transact business this morning.

Life of the Grapevine.

There are some who contend that the life of the grapevine is longer than that of the oak. It is rare that a wild grapevine is found that has died of old age. Pliny mentions a vine 600 years old. There is a vine at Hampton Court, England, planted in 1769, while here in America there is a wild grapevine on the shores of Mobile Bay, within a mile of Daphne, Ala. commonly known as the "General Jackson" vine, more than 6 feet in circumference at its base. There is a grapevine in Carpenteria, Cal., under which more than eight hundred persons may stand. Its trunk is eight feet in diameter at the base and it has borne as high as ten tons of fruit. It is said that this vine was planted in 1842.

Good Mental Tonic.

As appearance means so much to the average woman, mentally as well as socially, the question often arises, "Is she justified in aiding or improving nature if she sees fit?" Many of our well-known medical men think that "make-up" is as good a mental tonic as anyone can take and greatly advise its use, especially for the girl who has some slight personal defect—a scar, a poor complexion or blood less lips, for the knowledge of her defects makes her shy and oftentimes sulky and miserable.

Game A-Plenty.

If, as an American hunter of big game has demonstrated, half-bred mastiffs possess the courage to face and fight lions, why go all the way to Africa to hunt? There are plenty of dogs at home.—Cincinnati Times-Star.

What Chalk Is.

The chalk which we use on black boards and the chalk cliffs along England's coast are the pressed together remains of tiny bodies that once lived in the sea.

ROB MAN THEN SHOOT HIM UP

John Smith, of Monessen is in a critical condition at the Monessen-Charleroi hospital from a revolver shot wound in the back, inflicted near Monessen Wednesday night by two Italian men, who it is said tried to hold him up. Smith was robbed of $15, all the money he had. When he was released he started to run, and he was shot.

SIGNIFICANCE OF SOUTH POLE

Science Will Welcome the Discovery So Long Looked Forward To.

At least three branches of science it is hoped, will derive important benefits from the conquest of the south pole—meteorology, geography, and seismography. More immediately important than any other result is to be, it is probable, the influence of of the discovery on meteorology In no long time, as a consequence of the weather maps based upon the fuller knowledge of atmospheric currents in the Antarctic, doubtless brought by Scott and Amundsen, the prediction of the weather will be made a much more exact science. One of the results hoped for is the forecasting of the conditions of the monsoons in India and averting thereby a vast amount of damage to property and loss of life.

To work out the many observations pertaining not only to meteorology but to the other sciences and to report on the collections in detail must, as a writer in the London Times points out, be the work of years. It is already possible however, to conjecture from the mass of expert information published here and abroad regarding Amundsen as well as Scott what are the outlines of a great section of the globe of which only the fringe has heretofore been touched by the explorer.—Current Literature.

Remarkable Wall of Rough Stone.

A wall 1,300 feet long, four feet high and three feet thick at the bottom has just been completed on a country estate near Port Chester, under the direction of Samuel Parson, who says that it is unique. The granite blocks which form the wall were quarried about 50 miles away and were used just as they came from the quarry. The interstices have been filled with loam and mold and planted profusely with such flowering herbs and creepers as will flourish best and look prettiest in that environment. The stones are all large—from three tons down and from three to ten feet long—and fitted as close as they could be without the use of any other tool than a hammer to knock off the rough edges "This specimen of Cyclopean masonry," says Mr. Parsons' description, "in which about 8,000 rock plants have been planted, is withal a perfect fence—horse high, bull strong and pig tight."

Not Their Hour to Die.

A Lisbon, Portugal, official and his family had a most harrowing experience, recently, narrowly escaping death. While dining with his wife and two children, a dynamite bomb was thrown into the dining-room, practically wrecking the house. The official and his wife were seriously injured, but the children escaped.

CATHOLICS WIN WARM STRUGGLE

Beat Christians in Last Inning by One Point Lead

There was plenty of goings on at the ball park Wednesday night to satisfy the worst baseball dyspeptic that exists, and enough excitement to go around in a gang of motor car racers. There wasn't so much banging of the ball, but there was a tremendous lot of hard and characteristic playing with the Catholics finally ending one point ahead of the Christians. With the game on ice, so sudden was a change made that the St. Jerome's supporters thought for a time it was all upwiththeirhopes.

The Catholics scored in the second. Motts got in the way of a pitched ball, stole second and passed the rest of the way on a single. Patrich scored in the third on a couple of errors. Newton cracked out a two bagger in the fifth inning, tallying on a single. Motts came to the fore again in the sixth with a purchase of three bases, scoring on an error. Then is when the Christians started in to score and tied things up.

In their half of the seventh the Christians had Vernom at the bat. He got thesecond hit of the Christians during the game. Miller doubled and Herbert Mason doubled. Put down two scores with that. Phillips was out. Jolliffe placed a two bagger somewhere, scoring Mason. Jolly scored the fourth run on another two bagger—Paxton's. With one out Newton singled in the seventh and went the rounds on an error and an out. Score:

Catholics	R	H	P	A	E
Newton, 3	2	3	2	2	0
Urben, 2	0	0	4	1	1
Glasser, l	0	2	0	0	0
Moussioux, m	0	0	1	0	0
Wilson, r	0	0	0	0	0
Schafer, m	0	0	0	0	0
Motts, s	2	1	2	1	0
Fagula, c	0	0	2	0	0
Wheeler, l	0	1	9	0	0
Patrich, p	1	0	1	2	0
Total	5	7	21	9	1

Chistians	R	H	P	A	E
Frances, 3	0	0	2	0	0
Vernom, m	1	1	3	0	0
Miller, l	1	2	1	1	1
H. Mason, c	1	1	1	1	1
Phillips, l	0	0	5	1	1
Jolliffee, s	1	1	3	5	1
Paxton, 2	0	1	4	2	1
Cupps, r	0	0	0	0	0
A. Mason, p	0	0	1	1	0
Total	4	6*2	0	11	5

*Two out when winning run was scored.

Catholics	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	5
Christians	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4

Two base hits—Newton, Miller, H. Mason, Jolliffe, Paxton. Three base hit—Motts. Stolen bases—Newton, Motts. Struck out—By Patrich 1, by Mason 1. Bases on balls—Off Mason 1. Umpire—Deitz.

CHARLEROI CHURCH LEAGUE

Catholics 5, Christians 4.

Standing of Clubs.

	W	L	P
First Pres	5	1	.834
Catholics	5	2	.714
W. A. Pres	4	2	.667
Methodists	4	4	.500
Baptists	3	4	.429
Christians	3	5	.375
Lutherans	2	4	.333
Episcopals	1	4	.200

Games This Week.

Thursday—Episcopals vs. W. A. Pres.
Friday—First Pres. vs. Baptists.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Chicago 3, New York 0.
All others postponed—rain.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct
New York	47	14	.803
Chicago	41	28	.594
Pittsburg	42	29	.592
Cincinnati	39	35	.527
Philadelphia	31	37	.456
Brooklyn	27	44	.380
St. Louis	29	49	.372

Today's Schedule.

Philadelphia at Pittsburg.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.
New York at Chicago
Boston at St. Louis.

Tomorrow at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg vs. Brooklyn.

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One lot ladies' Red Cross gun metal 3 eyelet Oxfords, regular price $3.50 reduced to..... $2.48

One lot of gun metal and patent leather Red Cross Pumps, 1 strap. Value 3.50 and 4.00 reduced to..... $2.48

One lot ladies' mixed Red Cross made oxfords and pumps, all sizes, regular value $3.50 and $4, now $1.79

All pumps, colonial, 1-strap, 2-strap, cross strap, of our celebrated Red Cross make, in most all leathers, all sizes, regular value $3.50 and 4.00, now $2.98

All ladies' 2.50 and 2.75 oxfords at $2.22

All ladies' 2.00 and 2.25 oxfords, suede, gunmetal, vici kid, etc., at $1.28

All men's Ralston oxfords, all styles all leathers, regular price 4.00, at..... $3.38

All 3.50 men's oxfords now reduced to..... $2.88

All 3.00 and some 3.50 men's oxfords at..... $2.28

You will find in these oxfords this season's best styles, and with plenty of oxford weather ahead the man or woman who is far-sighted enough will take advantage of these unusual low prices.

Further, these reductions are honest and fair in every way.

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Arthur B. Suit, sheriff of Prince Georges county, Md., says he never again will indulge in a fox chase. He always was fond of the sport, but on the occasion of his last chase he had such an unpleasant and exciting experience that he concluded to go after smaller game in the future.

"We had been out but a short while," he related to friends, "before we were on a trail, but it took us some time to dig the fox from his hole. A skunk was the fox's companion and both came out together."

Both animals were killed and taken to Forestville.

"With our party was a dare-devil sort of a fellow," the sheriff said, "and he rode his horse through the village store, the skunk hanging to the animal's side.

"The store was quickly deserted," he added, "and I resolved to participate in no more such hunts."

The popular idea is that dictionary makers are about as infallible as makers of literature can be, and yet from the earliest times the mistakes of the lexicographers have furnished amusement. In our day the Century Dictionary has been supposed to be about the last word in such compilations, and yet it has been pointed out that one joke on the Century occurs under the heading "Question, to pop the. See Pop," which may be excellent advice, but raises a laugh, nevertheless.

When the Forty Immortals were engaged in making the dictionary of the French academy the word "crab" came up for a gloss; they were about agreed to define it as "a little red fish that walks backward" when Furetiere pointed out that it was no doubt a good definitions, save for the fact that the animal is not a fish, it is not red until it is boiled, and it does not walk backward.

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MUCH PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM COUNTY TAXATION

Clerk Harry R. Campbell of County Complies Figures

AMOUNTS TO MILLIONS

Railroads, Water Companies and Public Utilities in List-Pay State Tax

At the request of the State Tax Commission recently authorized by the last legislature, Harry R. Campbell, chief clerk to the county commissioners, has compiled a list of the properties in the county that are exempt from local taxation by reason of being a part of the equipment of corprations that are taxed for State purposes, on their capital stock. The total amounts to $16,135,000.

Mr. Campbell's report, which took two weeks to complete, includes railroads, right of ways, station houses, yards, etc., street railway lines, etc., gas companies, oil companies, water companies, electric light companies and telephone and telegraph companies.

The following shows the total in this county as compiled by Mr. Campbell: Railroads, $11,000,000; street railways, $2,330,000; gas companies, $500,000; oil companies $250,000; water companies, $1,750,000; electric light companies, $300,000 and telephone and telegraph companies, $5,000, making a grand total of $16,135,000 worth of property in the county that is exempt from all local taxation.

The object of the State Tax Commission in gathering this information is to ascertain the amount of property that is exempt from taxation over the State. Under present court rulings corporations that pay State tax on their capital stock and earnings are exempt from local taxation, the courts deciding that the right of way, station buildings and other accessories of railroads are a part of the equipment which the capital stock represents. By means of this tax on corporations individual taxation for State purposes reduced to a minimum, and in no State is individual taxation for State purposes so low as in Pennsylvania.

There are many who believe that corporations should be taxed for local purposes, and as there is a constantly growing demand for more revenue, the province of the commission is to dig up something more to tax. This is why they're looking things over.

Announcement.

The Ladies Circle of the Christian church invite the members and friends of the church to be present at a demonstration of "Wear Ever" aluminum cooking utensils in the church basement, Monday evening, July 15 at 7:30. A lunch will be served and a souvenir will be given each person present. All members are urged to be present. 290-t2p

Miss Lavina Schafer, of Smock is a guest of Miss Mamie Moffitt of Crest avenue.

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Has Trouble With Boys

Police Regulate Big Disturbances With Greater Ease Than Small Ones

Boy offenders are giving Chief of Police C. W. Albright and his force more trouble these days than adults who tread other than in the broad and narrow path. In fact so troublesome have some of the youngsters become in some respects that action against their parents is contemplated. One of the troubles is experienced about the theatres. Particularly at the rear of the Coyle theatre has their behavior been offensive. In order to afford his patrons a cooling draught of air through the theatre Manager Coyle keeps the rear doors open. Groups of boys gather there, but not content with viewing the pictures free of charge indulge in hoodlumism that is most offensive to patrons of the house. An example is likely to be made of the worst offenders.

MONEY ON HAND FOR BUILDING

Sum of $30,000 in Senate Item for Charleroi Edifice

FINAL APPROPRIATION

With the work started on the Charleroi government building, plenty of funds will be forthcoming. This morning it was announced by the treasury department at Washington, D. C., which has charge of building that the senate had approved among other items that of $30,000 for "continuation of building at Charleroi." This will probably be one of the last appropriations for the Charleroi work practically all of the $90,000 for the local work having been appropriated before. The first appropriation was for paying for the site. The next was for making a start on the structure and the last ones for continuation of work.

Today the work of excavation is proceeding at the site of the postoffice. Trenches are being dug the length and breadth of the ground. These trenches will constitute practically all the excavation necessary. At the same time a tool house is being built for use of George W. Stiles and company, contractors.

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Mrs. J. S. Crawford has left for Atlantic City.

SCALE COMMITTEE OF THE DISTRICT TO MEET TUESDAY

Will Adjust Matters Pertaining to Scale-Charles Pritchard, of Monongahela the New Vice President

A call has been issued for a convention of the scale committee of the Pittsburg District, United Mine Workers of America and operators to be in session next Tuesday at Labor Temple, Pittsburg. The purpose of the convention will be to ratify the scale adopted by the international scale committee and to arbitrate all local matters in the district that may come up for adjustment.

The Pittsburg district after the adoption of a scale last May by the international committee put into effect almost intact, but without the settlement of the details of the scale. This matter it was necessary for the scale committee of the district to carefully consider together with the operators, which will be the purpose of the meeting next week in Pittsburg.

There are matters that in various cases have come up for settlement in the operation of the mines. Some of these relate to dead work and the payment of various claims that are made for extra work. A number of small grievances have also arisen which must be adjusted.

The scale committee of the district consists of the officers of the district and six members of the executive board. William Green a nations board member will assist the scale committee in its work.

Charles Pritchard of Monongahela has been elected the vice president of the Pittsburg district, to take the place of Van Bittner, whose appointment to the presidency left the position vacant. He assumed his duties on Monday of this week.

PROMISE OF STEADY WORK NECESSARY TO BRING BACK LABORERS

Foreign People Would Rather Stay in Their Native Land Than to Take Chance While the Political Fight is On

Foreign born people who last winter and spring went back to their homes in the old country to spend some months are not anxious to return to America at this time, in spite of the great demand for labor. Probably few Americans keep as close tab on the conditions of the country as just these laborers and their friends, who contemplate immigrating to America. They state that until after election affairs will be unsettled and they won't come on any indefinite promises, that is all there is to it.

Councilman Frank Riva, the local steamship agen, said this morning that he had experienced a good trade during May and June and that July was proving a fair month. However most of his sales were to tourists. He says that there are few foreign people traveling now. Those in the old country do not care to come back just at this time, and those here, having pretty steady work do not care to go.

The mills and various industries over the country which employ foreign labor have complained of the shortage of labor and have tried in many instances to get Italians, Austrians and those of other races which constitute the bulk of foreign laborers to come. In few cases, however, have they been able to promise steady work, and the man usually known a the ignorant foreigner simply refuses to accept terms under such conditions.

LIST OF OFFICERS FOR YEAR ANNOUNCED

Allen Endeavor League Disposes of Important Business at Convention Session--Program Carried Out Intact

The list of officers elected for the ensuing year by the district Allen Endeavor league in joint session with the South Pittsburg A. M. E. Sunday School association at St. James' A. M. E. church here was announced this morning. They are: Vice president, Louis McGee of Canonsburg; recording secretary, Miss Mabel Webster, of Charleroi; corresponding secretary, Miss Johanna Smith, of Washington; district lecturers, Miss Nelle Jackson of Monessen for the Washington district, and Mrs. Alice Washington of Connellsville for the Uniontown district. Presiding elder R. H. Bumery is president of the league by virtue of his office.

This morning's program consisted of devotional service, an address, "The Relation of the Adult Class of the Sunday School," by H. H. Rideout of Charleroi; a paper, "The Necessity of Teacher Training," by Miss Margaret Wilson of Canonsburg with a discussion by Robert Smith of Waynesburg, and a round table conducted by Rev. C. A. McGee. The convention adjourns tonight.

Wednesday evening the program as announced was carried out, with an address by Charles Lannon of Brownsville an address by Prof T. H. Brown of Vanderbilt, a solo by Miss Rosella Thomas, of Charleroi, and a talk by Rev. J. T. Hackett of the First Presbyterian church, Charleroi.

Business Men to Meet.

The Charleroi Business Men's association will meet tonight in regular session. It is stated important matters are to be brought up and a good attendance is desired.

Mrs. Joyce Dead.

Word has been received from Greensburg to the effect that Mrs. Michael Joyce, formerly of Charleroi, had died. The body will be brought to Charleroi for interment.

Miss Alice Milsom of Butler is visiting at the home of her cousin Mrs. C. A. Barnett of North Charleroi.

Will Visit in Tennessee

Miss Vida Goehring left for Chattanooga, Tenn., Tuesday evening, where she will be the guest of her uncle Geo. J. Goehring and family for several weeks. She will visit Chicamauga National Park, Lookout mountain and other points of historic interest.

George Demos of North Charleroi left Tuesday for a visit with his brother William of Toronto, Canada.

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MAY CLOSE BRIDGE TO TRAFFIC TEMPORARILY

Boy Breaks Big Window

Throw Stone Through Plate Glass at North Charleroi School

That "Satan finds some mischief still for idle hands to do," was exemplified down at North Charleroi Wednesday evening, when a large plate glass window 36 by 48 inches in the new scchool building there was broken by boys throwing stones. A pile of gravel was left above the school house by the contractors, and there idle boys of the community have been in the habit of congregating and throwing stones and pebbles at the school house. Residents living near have several times tried to chase the boys away, fearing that the windows of the school house would be broken, but could not abate the nuisance. The damage of the broken plate glass window will amount to considerable.

REPMAN FUNERAL IS HELD

Friends Pay Last Respects to Memory of Mrs. H. J. Repman

FLORAL TRIBUTES MANY

Hundreds of friends from Charleroi and surrounding towns paid their last respects to the memory of Mrs. Eleanor M. Repman, wife of Dr. Harry J. Repman, Wednesday afternoon when funeral services were held at the late home on Fifth street. The services were conducted at 2 o'clock by Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of which Mrs. Repman was a member and by Rev. F. A. Richards, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church. Rev. Hackett preached the sermon and Rev. Richards offered the prayer. A picked choir furnished the music. During the services the drug stores in town were closed.

Innumerable beautiful floral tributes were given out of respect for the deceased. Among these were two baskets formed of flowers, one the presentation of the Athene Club, and the other of the Friday Afternoon club of which organizations Mrs. Repman was a member. Others bestowing floral offerings were: The Men's Community Club, the Charleroi Business Men's Association, Charleroi Lodge No. 494, B. P. O. Elks, McKean Commandery No. 80 Knights Templar, Eastern Star Chapters of Charleroi and Monongahela, the Ladies Aid Societies of the First Presbyterian church and of the Methodist Episcopal church, pharmacists,

(Continued on second page.)

More Trouble Experienced at the Belle Vernon Structure

REPORTED DANGEROUS

Watchman Regards it as in Bad Shape--Commissioners Given Cause to Worry

When Washington and Fayet county freed the Monongahela river bridge connecting Belle Vernon and Speers, they immediately got into trouble. First the two counties condemned the bridge and by the usual process of viewing set a price on it that they thought would do for the Belle Vernon Bridge company, which owned the structure. The Belle Vernon Bridge company didn't figure the same way and argued so effectively that they got nearly what they asked in the first place. Before this trouble was near an end, it was discovered that the bridge didn't jibe right, one pier was lopsided and the other one looked to an engineer as though it had been on a drunk. The boards of the bridge were in bad shape, and other things were in similar condition. Now it is to be repaired and partly reconstructed. While this is going on it is feared there won't be any free bridge for use at all betw the counties.

Van Hixenbaugh, the efficient watchman for the two counties, notified the county officials that the bridge is in bad shape and really is dangerous. Commissioner A. P. Barnum of Washington, it is said agrees. The result will be, it is believed that orders will be issued shortly to close the bridge as a means of traffic for vehicles until such time as it can be put in passable shape.

The commissioners are advertising for bids for the necessary repairs to the structure but it will necessarily be several weeks after the contract is let before work will begin, as the material will have to be shipped and workmen supplied. It is said that the commissioners will draw up such a contract as to force the one getting it to put all the workmen possible on the job and rush it to completion.

INSTITUTE TO BE HELD UNDER SCHOOL CODE

Plans are being laid by the school authorities of Monessen and the Board of Trade of that borough for holding a teacher's institute this year, under provisions of the new school code. The dates of December 2 and December 6, have been determined on the days upon which the institute will be held. Committees have been appointed from the Board of Trade and the School Board to work up the institute, with Ralph H. Thatcher president. The new school code provides for school districts which have 50 or more teachers employed to hold institutes.

C. C. Hollyfield is in Pittsburg on a business trip today.

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A NEW VOCATION.

...in the news columns of ...today that Miss Nelle Ry... ...the immediate charge of the girl's ...of the public playgrounds, ...Pittsburg playgrounds, ...a new vocation ... ...and trained ... ...

...young men and women. This is the occupation of playground instructors and it is destined to become as important and widespread as that of instructor in the common branches of learning. Presumably Miss Rylands is visiting the Pittsburg playgrounds in search of new ideas and methods and her trip will no doubt be productive of results.

There are ample reasons why the play and recreation of children out of school should be supervised and directed by the public, the same as their mental and educational training. In fact the proper conduct of life is as much of an essential as the ability to read and write. We compel children to acquire the rudiments of learning for the safety and protection of society and it is beginning to be felt that to compel children to observe the proper ethics of life in their every day conduct is also a public safeguard.

By diverting some of the money that is spent in prosecuting and punishing criminals to preventing children from growing up into criminals is found to be good business, and this is what is opening up the new vocation for bright and capable young men and women.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Some evangelists make painfully apparent unsuccessful efforts to imitate Billy Sunday.

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Monessen with nothing more than a bit of hillside and a number of rocks and some shade trees has the enterprise to have a park. At least they ought to be encouraged.

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It's pretty hard for a farmer with nothing more to do than watch the corn grow and be happy to have a sunstroke.

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The Phohibitionists were careful to make arrangements that they could conscientiously get wet outside even if they couldn't inside.

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Political life is one attack after another.

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It isn't hard for a man to prove he left the evening party early if he takes a gold handled umbrella.

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Uniontown is said to have a Presidential candidate. Shake.

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It is about time the moving picture men were taking cognizance of our Charleroi playgrounds.

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Some newspapers are now saying that Woodrow Wilson is not intelligent, but just sane. However, there are a few people left in this world who would rather trust to luck and Wilson than the newspapers who draw attention by saying things like that.

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So far there have been no fatalities hereabouts as a result of the intense heat, but there have been lots of irritable beings.

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It has been rumored that Roosevelt will ask Taft to withdraw his name from theticket. Let us grasp.

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A Detroit, Mich., man is suing to recover his room rent, alleging that while it was rented to him for sole occupancy, over a million bugs insisted on using his bed as theirs. Naturally the result is awaited with interest.

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A New Jersey man at 89 years is securing a third set of teeth. But then New Jersey folks can afford under stress of circumstances which landed the nomination for Wilson, to be sort of queer.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"When the weather is hot enough to hatch eggs out in the open, you can depend upon it that all previous records are broken," said C. B. Copeland of the government steamboat Slackwater, which is now lying in harbor at Lock No. 4.

Mr. Copeland was reminded that although people often remarked that the temperature was hot enough to [illegible] eggs, the phenomenon of it being sufficiently high to hatch them, sounded somewhat incredible, to say the least.

"That's just exactly what happened," asserted Mr. Copeland. "Down at Lock Four Mrs. J. W. Coyle had a hen setting, who was scheduled to come off one day this week. At the appointed time Mrs. Coyle removed [illegible] there had been ample time for them to incubate Mrs. Coyle thought the three were bad ones, and placed them in a box nailed up on the wall of the [illegible]. The next morning she asked Mr. Coyle to take them out and throw them away and when he later went to remove the bad eggs he found three lively chicks in their place. The weather was hot enough to keep those eggs at the right temperature; otherwise they'd never have hatched."

Tuesday evening, after the Church league ball game between the Christians and the Methodists, Dale Jolliffe, manager of the Christian team came walking up Fifth street in his uniform, on his way home.

"Did you win, Dale?" asked a fan who had not attended the game.

"Sure," replied Dale. "That's why I'm walking up this street. If we'd lost, you'd have seen me sneaking through the alleys on my way nome."

LOVER

Oscar Carson of Charleroi and brother Russell of Donora spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Carson.

Samuel Morris and family, Curt Pitzer and family spent Sunday at the home of Addison Springer of Lock 4.

Curt Carson and family of Donora, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Carson spent Sunday at the home of Hiram Hannen.

Miss Edith Pester of Coal Centre, visited last week at the home of Kit Carson.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Harris of Twilight spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Harris' daughter, Mrs. Clyde Sphar.

Mrs. Lou Carson and Delbert Carson and family of Charleroi were Sunday guests at the home of Hiram Robison.

Mrs. Mrgaret Richards of California, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. King Winnett spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Winnetts' sister, Mrs. Jesse Lewis near Beallsville.

Hannan Hannen and family of Charleroi visited relatives near here Sunday.

Samuel Hopewell was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Sickman of Belle Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Duvall of Charleroi spent Sunday at the home of the former's father, T. R. Duvall.

friends near Scenery Hill Sunday.

Mrs. Playford Wright and baby of West Pike Run, were recent guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abe McCracken.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. White of California spent the Fourth at the home of the latter's brother, T. R. Duvall.

William Silbaugh and family were Fourth visitors at the home of Hugh Crow near Jonestown.

Sol. Rider of Hayes Station, spent a few days last week with his parents M. and Mrs. Teagarden Rider.

Mrs. Charles Scott and children near Garwood, spent Sunday at the home of her father E. N. Allman.

Mrs. Frank Harrison and Mrs. Clint Cooper near Rogers school house, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Samuel Hopewell.

Miss Mary Pryor near Garwood is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Allman.

Miss Margaret Hyatt spent the Fourth with relatives at Brownsville.

REPMAN FUNERAL HELD YESTERDAY

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and physicians and dentists of Charleroi and the medical association of the valley. In addition to these there were innumerable personal floral tributes.

Interment was in the Monongahela cemetery. The funeral cortage left the home in a blinding rain, but this cleared up by the time of arrival at the cemetery. The pall bearers were chosen from among the fellow physicians of Dr. Repman and were: Dr. T. M. Faddis, Dr. Edwin McKay, Dr. J. Clive Enos, Dr. J. W. Hunter, Dr. J. K. Smith and Dr. F C. Stahlman.

Attention Eagles.

A special meeting of Charleroi Aerie 390 Fraternal Order of Eagles will be held at the club rooms 321 McKean avenue on Friday, July 12, at 8 p. m.

Wm. H. Zellers, Jr.,
Secretary.
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Miss Lomis Walton, of Doylestown, Bucks County, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Walton, formerly of North Charleroi, is visiting relatives and friends here.

COUNTY GAINS $5,000 IN INTEREST MONEY

The first six months of business in the office of County Treasurer S. M. Downer ended with June 30 and thus far with one-half the year gone he has established an enviable record for himself and the county, says the Washington Observer. The funds of the county have accumulated interest, almost to the amount of $5,000 and the business of the county is firmly intrenched with newer methods and a system second to none in the state. During the month of June the various banks holding the county funds paid into the county treasury $639.66. The whole amount of monies in the treasury at the close of business on June 30 was $890,580.26.

The feature of the county business in this office thus far in the term of Treasurer Downer is the accumulation of dividends on the county funds. The amounts of the various months to date are as follows: January, $904.45; February, $881.92; March, $843.51; April, $752.63; May, $732.83 and June, $639.66, making an aggregate total of $4,706. The next six months of the present year should swell this total considerably. The taxes are now coming in and the amounts in the various banks should increase rapidly.

The amounts in the several funds at the close of business on June 30 the end of the first six months follows: Road fund, $286,509.18; bonded debt, $7,668.12; general account, $26,246.62; dog fund, $488.13; state account, $13,580.41, and bridge bonds, $56,087.80, making a general total of $890,580.26.

The county treasurer and his assistants are kept busy these days receiving the taxes. Each day goes on increase of this business. The county is laid out in districts and taxes are also being received at various centers of the county.

LAID UY BY ILLNESS; SPEED CHARGE WRONG

It's bad enough when, in the exuberance of spirits, one is bowling along the highway in an auto, to get "pinched" on a charge of exceeding the speed limit, but to have this information made against you when you are sick in bed and your machine is being "hostled" in the garage, is adding insult to injury.

This unque experience happened to Kerfoot W. Daly, cashier of the Bank af Charleroi. While it is known that Mr. Daly has in the past been somewhat prone to hit the high places when driving his machine on a clear track, he is cautious enough in populous communities where there is danger. This known characteristic must have been the prompting motive of some individual over at Washington to lodge information against Mr. Daly when, on June 28, some one whizzed through the streets of Washington in a machine, leaving only a streak of smoke and an odor of gasoline as a mark of identity.

"Must have been Kerfoot Daly of Charleroi," was the probable inference of the over zealous individual who made the information, and he based his action accordingly.

Now it so happened that Mr. Daly was lying sick in bed at his home on Fifth street on June 28, and moreover his machine was safely reposing in Spencer's garage, where it had not been taken out from June 15, until some time after the 28th, so that the accused was able to clearly establish an alibi. Accordingly Mr. Daly wrote to Justice of the Peace Carmichael at Washington that there must have been some mistake as to the identity of the offender, and that he could produce affidavits of physicians and neighbors if necessary to the effect that he was wholly incapacitated to break the speed limit on the date mentioned, even if he had been so inclined.

Mr. Daly, who is now convalescent, is at Chalk Hill where, with Mrs. Daly and their little daughter Mary Violet, they are spending a brief vacation in the hope that the former may make more rapid recovery.

WORK TO START SOON ON BROWNSVILLE BRIDGE

By a decision handed down at Washington Wednesday the court practically opens the way for work to start soon on the erection of the proposed bridge between Washington and Fayette counties at Brownsville, which will replace the old structure torn down some time ago. After the old bridge had been razed viewers selected the old site as the location for the erection of the new bridge, but there was a delay about this and a mandamus suit to force the commissioners to erect the bridge was instituted by Thomas McCune and others, although [illegible] sitation was upon the part of the Fayette county commissioners, since those in Washington county readily agreed to go to work at once.

After this had been decided and the court had said that the commissioners should go ahead McCune brought another suit to restrain the commissioners from erecting the bridge on the same site because, he alleges, the cost would be exorbitant, since extensive approaches would have to be built. By the last decision the court decides that the plaintiffs have failed to prove this assertion and that the commissioners may go to work at once and build the bridge on the site of the former one legally.

TOO REMARKABLE TO FALL

Ruined Old Barn Set Mose an Example and He Proceeded to Get Well.

In their first walk of the season at Wobrook-in-the-Hills the judge and his wife stopped at the Bartons' to inquire for Mose, who was reported to have been "mo'e'n common allin', long back." They found Mrs. Barton in the garden, weeding.

"Yes, he was awful bad all last winter," she said, gradually rising, and straightening up. "First he had grippe, an' that left his heart weak, an' 'long toward March his liver kind o' got out o' whack. Then Mose sent for doctor, an' he called it 'complication o' diseases.'

"'You're a sick man,' says doctor.

"'I know that,' says Mose, 'thout you're tellin' me!' You know his way? 'But this complication, 's you call it, in what stumps me. I guess I'd better get well'—an' he did!"

"Suthin' in that, eh, squire?" said Mose, suddenly appearing from behind the house.

"Much!" asserted the judge.

"Didn't find my argyment in a [illegible], same as you would, squire," Mose continued. "Got it up on the hills, from the old Collin's barn—'member it?"

"I should say I did!" said the judge, smiling reminiscently; "roofless, practically and open on all sides!"

"But boy' a-standin' for nigh thirty year 'cause it was so remarkable it didn't know which way to fall. My own specity!" [illegible] [illegible] with a twinkle [illegible] of us [illegible] —White Work.

SAVED BY TROUSER BUTTON

Alpine Guide Finds Tiny Article in Rock Cleft and Lost Climbers Are Rescued.

The Alpine guide has practically no knowledge of the use of map and compass; in fact, he is prone to despise their aid, yet how many dozen of lives would have been saved on Mont Blanc alone had such simple aid been appreciated. The professional prefers to rely on his powers of observation and that peculiar instinct sometimes aptly described as the bump of locality. He is alert to detect the slightest traces of predecessors. A party of us were once befogged and had lost all idea of our position on the complicated westerly face of the Riffelhorn. A young guide was with us, and he became so dangerously disconsolate and helpless that one of the amateurs had to take the lead. For some hours we fought with severe difficulties, discouraged meanwhile by our companion's prophecy of certain disaster. His poor old mother was doomed to lose her only support! Things were altogether miserable. Suddenly we came to a ledge on a desperate corner with a steep chimney to the right. The young guide signaled his arrival by my side with a grunt and startling yodel, a joyous shout as of deliverance. His quick eye had espied a trouser button in the cleft of the chimney, and we knew that we had struck a regular route. That tiny relic of humanity put new life into the faltering party, and he then of us held our head to the summit. —Alpine Wonder.

Tremendous Moose of Maine.

Hancock county, which is in southeastern Maine, is suffering a plague of moose, and the people who live on farms the year around are calling for help.

Last summer the animals did serious injury to farm crops. This winter, it appears, they have yarded in and fed upon varieties of slash that seemed to be the honest pioneer's last resource. One farmer writes the state commissioners of inland fisheries and game to the effect that several years ago he bought a tract of 200 acres of wild land with the intent to go over it annually and cut our hoop poles. He did that once.

Then, as he expresses it, about the time that thousands of sprouts came up "the moose came in," destroyed the sprouts "and continue annually to destroy at least $200 of poles besides the growth." And this man and his neighbors have no redress short of the ultimate gun, since, though a state law provides reimbursement for crop damages inflicted by deer, moose do not figure in this way in any statute. —Boston Transcript.

Time Signals by Telephone.

A mechanism has been attached to the time-clock at the Hamburg observatory by which the exact official time is transmitted to the telephone system of the city. From the fifty-fifth to sixtieth second of each minute the apparatus transmits a musical signal, which is followed by a phonographic announcement of the exact minute. The signals are transmitted by special wire to the headquarters of the telephone system, and thence to each local exchange. Any telephone subscriber who wishes to get the exact time has only to ask for the time connection at his exchange and to listen for the phonographic announcement. This is an improvement upon the American method by which time signals are transmitted by telegraph only once a day.—Youth's Companion.

Sacrificed to Reform.

"You have abandoned the picturesque custom of crowning a queen of the May?"

"Yes," replied the merry villager; "we had to give it up. There got to be so many candidates and so much campaigning that politics left us no time for business."

An Eye to Economy.

"Now, remember, Ikey, that vos a goot glass eye you've got. Always take it out and put it in your pocket when you ain't looking at noddings."

Error in Conditions Somewhere.

There is something wrong if a man is expected to meditate on eternity when he has no assurance of being able to meet his butcher's bill.

COUNTY OFFICIALS.

County Judges—J. Add McIlvaine, President judge, (term expires January, 1917); J. Frank Taylor, Ad. Law Judge, (term expires January, 1916.)

County Controller—John H. Moffitt Charleroi, 1914.

Sheriff—R. G. Lutton, Washington, 1916.

District Attorney—Richard G. Miller, Washington, 1916.

Treasurer—S. M. Downer, Monongahela, 1916.

Prothonotary— A.V. Lewis, Donora, 1916.

Clerk of Courts—W. S. Lockhart, McDonald, 1916.

Register of Wills—Boyd C. Parshall, Washington, 1916.

Recorder—J. Chester Sutherland, Washington, 1914.

Commissioner—John A. Berry, Houston, 1916; Thomas Hill, Union township, 1916; A. P. Barnum, Allenport, 1916.

Supt of Schools—L. R. Crumrine, Washington, 1914.

Coroner—James Heffran, Speers, 1916.

Director of the Poor—H. D. Brownelller, West Brownsville, 1916; R. W. Wolfe, Blaine, 1916; R. C. Buchanan, Washington, 1914.

Jury Commissioner—John W. Dague, West Bethlehem; William Barkley, Nottingham.

County Surveyor—George S. Cheney, Washington, 1906.

County Detective—William McCleary, Monongahela, 1916.

Assembly—John Banks Holland, Cecil, 1912; William Feeney, Charleroi, 1912; Charles A. Bentley, Monongahela, 1912.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Whitlatch of Rices Landing were Sunday visitors in Charleroi.

Another Fourth Story.

He held a cracker in his hand
And let it linger.
A neighbor came in later, and
Returned the finger.
—Johnstown Leader.

EARLY SUMMER

CLEARANCE SALE

Starts Friday, July 12th, 1912, and Lasts Until Monday, July 22, 1912

JUST NINE BARGAIN BUYING SALE DAYS---GET BUSY

Big Reductions throughout the entire store—and the people who wait for this SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE will get some splendid bargains. .In the recent Clearance Sales held by the big city wholesalers, we were heavy buyers.. It willbe to your bredit and advantage to attend this sale—for we mean to make a General Clearance all over the store.. Heavy reductions made on all Ladies' Suits, Coats, Skirts, Silk Dresses and in addition—Double S. & H. Green Trading Stamps on all sales of Ready-toWear goods. Note well, it means $20.00 worth of Stamps on every Ten Dollar sale in this Department.—All trimmed Hats at Half-Price and still Double Stamps.

Ready-to-Wear Reductions---Ladie's Suits, Coats. Skirts, Silk Dresses, Children's Spring Coats, Trimmed Hats--and as an Extra inducement to hurry well give double stamps on all sales in this department

Over 100 Handsome Trimmed Hats

GO IN THIS SALE AT ONLY HALF PRICE.

$4.00 Hats now.....$2.00
$8.00 Hats now.....$4.00
$10.00 Hats go at.....$5.00

In fact all Trimmed Hats at Half Price.

UNTRIMMED HATS AND SHAPES AT HALF PRICE.
ALL CHILDREN'S TRIMMED HATS AT HALF PRICE.

Wash Skirts at.....Half Price
Lawn Baby Caps.....One Fourth Off
Ladies' $1.50 White Poplin Waists at.....98c
Ladies' $1.00 White Waists at.....69c
Ladies' $1.50 Percale Waists at.....75c

Wonderful Suit Reductions

Every woman should be interested in this great Half Price Sale. 62 ladies' tailor made suits—new, clean, handsome suits. Among them are 27 blacks' All sizes, including stouts. 11 blue suits, 24 light suits and mixtures. These are positively the best suit values ever offered by this store and are only for this sale. None reserved. First come, first served.

$15.00 Ladies' Suits at Half Price.....$7.50
$16.50 Ladies' Suits at Half Price.....$8.25
$18.00 Ladies' Suits at Half Price.....$9.00
$20.00 Ladies' Suits at Half Price.....$10.00
$25.00 Ladies' Suit sat Half Price.....$12.50
$27.50 Ladies' Suits at Half Price.....$13.75
$30.00 Ladies' Suits at Half Price.....$15.00

All Cream Serge Suits Less 25 Per Cent.

Silk Dresses

Special Sale of Silk Dresses ,and at these erductions you can afford to wear most every day.

Very pretty silk dresses, $12 and $12.50 values, at $9.75
$15.00 silk dresses on sale at.....$10.75
$18.00 silk dresses on sale at.....$13.50
$25.00 silk dresses on sale at.....$15.00

VOILE SKIRTS

Special sale of these handsome skirts that were $12.50, $13.50, $15.00, to $18.00. Sale price.....$9.00
One lot of $5.00 and $6.00 skirts. Sale price $3.75

Ladies Long Coats in serges and fancies, less 25 per cent.
Children's Reefers—a big lot of these pretty light weight coats. They go at one-fourth off.

JULY REDUCTIONS IN MEN'S AND BOY'S SUITS AND FURNISHINGS.

Here's your opportunity to make big sivings—the reductions run from 25 to 50 per cent off. Yes, some suits go oue-fourth off, some suits go one-third off, and a few suits go at half price. It's a clean-up suit sale and every garment is good. clean up-to-date merchandise. Better come today.

Boys' White Duck Pants, 11 to 17 years, 50c values, at.....25c
Men's Jean Pants, our $1.00 values, at.....69c
Men's 25c Suspenders. Sale price.....9c
One special lot Men's 25c Fancy Sox. Sale price.....12 1-2

SELLING STRAW HATS AT HALF PRICE. IT'S JUST STRAW HAT TIME TOO. GET HERE QUICK. ALL OUR FINEST AND BEST STRAW HATS GO AT HALF PRICE.

One lot of 50c, 75c and $1.00 Straw Hats go at.....25c
One lot of Men's 50c Dress Shirts go special.....35c
One lot Men's $1.00 Dress Shirts go special.....79c
One lot Men's $1.50 Dress Shirts go special.....$1.15
One lot Men's $1.00 Laundred White Dress Shirts.....39c
One lot Children's Rompers, good value.....25c

Awful cuts on Carpets—on Ladies' Suits—on Trimmed Hats—on Silks and Stamps Free.. Ask for Green Stamps—Free with all Cash Purchases.in our store—See Display of these Beautiful Premiums.. We want to assure you that we keep and sell good reliable merchandise.. Come to this Clearance Sale and share in these Summer Bargains.

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Mrs. Flora M. S. King

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JOE BELL

Best shoemaker in town. All work guaranteed. When $5 worth of work is done, you get a pair of shoes repaired free.

205 Fifth St., - - - Charleroi, Pa

Shoes repaired while you wait.

For Holding Face in Water.

To enable a person to keep his face immersed in water for several minutes on for facial massage, a Washington man has invented a clip to close the nostrils and a rubber tube to admit air through the mouth.

As It Sounded to Him.

"I think," said Mrs. Cumrox, who was arranging a musical programme, "that we will have a mezzo-soprano."

"All right," replied her husband, "but before you do about it, do ahead and get an architect."

When You Go Away From Home

when you are not known, avoid all trouble in regard to funds by carrying

American Bankers Association Travelers' Cheques

These Cheques are equally useful for travelers in America or abroad They IDENTITY the holder to hotels, ticket agents and merchants who accept them at face value in payment of accounts. They are not available to finder or thief, if lost or stolen.

Let us explain the system

BANK OF CHARLEROI

Charleroi, Pa.

Capital and Surplus
$810,000.00

Open Saturday Evenings

Insist Upon Unhappiness.

A Cincinnati man found nine pearls worth $100 each in a single oyster But some folks will continue to kick about the high price of food.—Pittsburgh Gazette.

Wooden Leg Joke.

Why is it, as a writer in the Bellman points out, that the general sense of humor is stirred when anything happens to a man's wooden leg, such as its loss or a knothole coming in it, or getting it under the cars? It is or was the same way with stealing a man's horse in the Far West. Both of these accidents are serious. Yet they are supposed to be subjects for mirth.—Minneapolis Journal.

In Ancient Days.

The chimney corner was a favorite place for early settlers when they took their tobacco. Buckets were the chief reliance of the fire fighters. When an alarm was cried each citizen grabbed his buckets and ran to answer it. If he couldn't respond in an instant he threw his buckets out his window, and his neighbor picked them up and carried them along.

OLD SORES, PILES, BURNS AND SCALDS HEAL VERY QUICKLY

W. F. Hennings, and Piper Bros. sells an ointment called San Cura that surely does do anything it is advertised to do or money back.

Thos. F. McCauley, Coopertown, Pa., cut his finger—blood poison set in—arm swelled terribly—friends despaired—said arm must come off. San Cura Ointment drew out water and dark pus—agony ceased—arm and hand soon as good as ever.

It quickly draws out all poison from sores, fever sores, ulcers, boils, carbuncles, cuts, burns, scalds and bruises and heals without leaving a scar.

For itching, bleeding or protruding piles, nothing can equal it, while thousands of cases are recorded where eczema, tetter and salt rheum were cured in the shortest possible time. San Cura Ointment is 25 and 50 cents a jar.

Everybody should use San Cura Soap, it's antiseptic destroys all germ life, keeps the skin clear, soft and velvety, 25 cents. Thompson Medical Co., Titusville, Pa.

Novelist Was the Family Dunce.

Fanny Burney, one of the world's first woman writers, was called the "little dunce" by her parents because she seemed to know less than the other children in the family. She did not know the A B Cs until she was nine years old. Her first novel, "Evelina" was written surreptitiously, and won her much fame.

Fireman's Unique Wedding.

A fireman's wedding in a burnt-out church is certainly something of a novelty. Such a wedding has just taken place in the chancel of St. George's, Leicester, the greater part of the building having been destroyed by fire last year. It was the first fireman's wedding in Leicester, and the bridegroom's colleagues formed a guard of honor and arranged an arch of axes, etc., under which the bride and bridegroom passed out after the ceremony. Fireman Sturges, the bridegroom, was among those who fought the flames at St. George's last October.—London Tit-Bits.

MRS. WILKES' BLESSING

Her Dearest Hopes Realized — Health, Happiness and Baby.

Plattsburg, Miss. — "Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has proved very beneficial to me, for now I am well and have a sweet, healthy baby, and our home is happy.

"I was an invalid from nervous prostration, indigestion and female troubles.

"I think I suffered every pain a woman could before I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I think it saved this baby's life, as I lost my first one.

"My health has been very good ever since, and I praise your medicine to all my friends."—Mrs. VERNA WILKES, R. F. D. No. 1, Plattsburg, Miss.

The darkest days of husband and wife are when they come to look forward to a childless and lonely old age.

Many a wife has found herself incapable of motherhood owing to some derangement of the feminine system, often curable by the proper remedies.

In many homes once childless there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal, healthy

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

Everything in Tolstoi's character, an eminent Russian writer says, attained Titanic proportions. "As a drinker he absorbed fantastic quantities of liquor. As a gambler, he terrified his partners by the boldness of his play. As a soldier he advanced gayly to fronting the [illegible] of death, at Sevastopol, and there he made dying men laugh at his witty sayings. He engrossed every one by his profound curiosity in regard to [illegible]

Immediately after the Fourth we'll have

A Special Reduced Sale

on all our

Ladies' White Embroidery and Embroidered Voile Dresses

We have a large line of them which were bargains at $6.50, now 4.98.

Another lot formerly sold for 3.75, now 2.98.

All our stock of mercerized and silk pongee coats will be sold at 25 per cent below their former price.

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Saturday, July 27, 1912

EXCURSION TICKETS

Good going on all regular trains on date of excursion, and good to return on regular trains until July 31, inclusive.

For time of trains, tickets and further information apply to nearest Ticket Agent.

SIMILAR EXCURSION AUGUST 24

Pennsylvania Railroad

Early Summer Clearance Sale

Our Early Summer Clearance Sale begins Friday, July 12th, with special inducements in every department.

Watch tomorrow's paper for the wonderful reductions to be made throughout the entire store. A wonderful saving on dependable merchandise.

J. W. Berryman & Son

Charleroi's Big Store

Classified Ads.

WANTED—Girl for housework. 710 McKean avenue. 280-tf

FOR RENT—Our new light and airy flat to newly married couple or couple without children. See D. N. Hall, Fourth street and Fallowfield avenue. 283-eod

WANTED—Girl to keep house. Inquire 708 McKean avenue. 289-tf

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire A. N. Mail office. 290-t3

FOR RENT—Store room. Address "J." Mail office. 290-t4p

WANTED—Man to handle general line of Manifold Registers, office machines and supplies, Charleroi and nearby towns. L. W. Reed, Co., Fourth and Ross street, Pittsburg. 290-t1p

Mrs. M. J. H. Gerwig and daughters Miss Cora and Rhoda, of Wilkinsburg were guests Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Gerwing's son, F. H. M. Gerwig of Washington avenue. Miss Rhoda Gerwing is a student recently home from Wellesley College.

Miss Nelle Ryland, girls' director at the Charleroi playgrounds, and James Ryland are spending the day in Pittsburg visiting playgrounds.

Dr. J. Clive Enos went to Pittsburg to transact business this morning.

Life of the Grapevine.

There are some who contend that the life of the grapevine is longer than that of the oak. It is rare that a wild grapevine is found that has died of old age. Pliny mentions a vine 600 years old. There is a vine at Hampton Court, England, planted in 1769, while here in America there is a wild grapevine on the shores of Mobile Bay, within a mile of Daphne, Ala. commonly known as the "General Jackson" vine, more than 6 feet in circumference at its base. There is a grapevine in Carpenteria, Cal., under which more than eight hundred persons may stand. Its trunk is eight feet in diameter at the base and it has borne as high as ten tons of fruit. It is said that this vine was planted in 1842.

Good Mental Tonic.

As appearance means so much to the average woman, mentally as well as socially, the question often arises, "Is she justified in aiding or improving nature if she sees fit?" Many of our well-known medical men think that "make-up" is as good a mental tonic as anyone can take and greatly advise its use, especially for the girl who has some slight personal defect—a scar, a poor complexion or blood less lips, for the knowledge of her defects makes her shy and oftentimes sulky and miserable.

Game A-Plenty.

If, as an American hunter of big game has demonstrated, half-bred mastiffs possess the courage to face and fight lions, why go all the way to Africa to hunt? There are plenty of dogs at home.—Cincinnati Times-Star.

What Chalk Is.

The chalk which we use on blackboards and the chalk cliffs along England's coast are the pressed together remains of tiny bodies that once lived in the sea.

ROB MAN THEN SHOOT HIM UP

John Smith, of Monessen is in critical condition at the Monessen-Charleroi hospital from a revolver shot wound in the back, inflicted near Monessen Wednesday night by two Italian men, who it is said tried to hold him up. Smith was robbed of $15, all the money he had. When he was released he started to run, and he was shot.

SIGNIFICANCE OF SOUTH POLE

Science Will Welcome the Discovery So Long Looked Forward To.

At least three branches of science, it is hoped, will derive important benefits from the conquest of the south pole—meteorology, geography, and seismography. More immediately important than any other result is to be, it is probable, the influence of of the discovery on meteorology. In no long time, as a consequence of the weather maps based upon the fuller knowledge of atmospheric currents in the Antarctic, doubtless brought by Scott and Amundsen, the prediction of the weather will be made a much more exact science. One of the results hoped for is the forecasting of the conditions of the monsoons in India and averting thereby a vast amount of damage to property and loss of life.

To work out the many observations pertaining not only to meteorology but to the other sciences and to report on the collections in detail must, as a writer in the London Times points out, be the work of years. It is already possible, however, to conjecture from the mass of expert information published here and abroad regarding Amundsen as well as Scott, what are the outlines of a great section of the globe of which only the fringe has heretofore been touched by the explorer.—Current Literature.

Remarkable Wall of Rough Stone.

A wall 1,300 feet long, four feet high and three feet thick at the bottom has just been completed on a country estate near Port Chester, under the direction of Samuel Parson, who says that it is unique. The granite blocks which form the wall were quarried about 50 miles away and were used just as they came from the quarry. The interstices have been filled with loam and mold and planted profusely with such flowering herbs and creepers as will flourish best and look prettiest in that environment. The stones are all large—from three tons down and from three to ten feet long—and fitted as close as they could be without the use of any other tool than a hammer to knock off the rough edges. "This specimen of Cyclopean masonry," says Mr. Parsons' description, "in which about 8,000 rock plants have been planted, is withal a perfect fence—horse high, bull strong and pig tight."

Not Their Hour to Die.

A Lisbon, Portugal, official and his family had a most harrowing experience, recently, narrowly escaping death. While dining with his wife and two children, a dynamite bomb was thrown into the dining-room, practically wrecking the house. The official and his wife were seriously injured, but the children escaped.

CATHOLICS WIN WARM STRUGGLE

Beat Christians in Last Inning by One Point Lead

There was plenty of goings on at the ball park Wednesday night to satisfy the worst baseball dyspeptic that exists, and enough excitement to go around in a gang of motor car racers. There wasn't so much banging of the ball, but there was a tremendous lot of hard and characteristic playing with the Catholics finally ending one point ahead of the Christians. With the game on ice, so sudden was a change made that the St. Jerome's supporters thought for a time it was all up with their hopes.

The Catholics scored in the second. Motts got in the way of a pitched ball, stole second and passed the rest of the way on a single. Patrich scored in the third on a couple of errors. Newton cracked out a two bagger in the fifth inning, tallying on a single. Motts came to the fore again in the sixth with a purchase of three bases, scoring on an error. Then is when the Christians started in to score and tied things up.

In their half of the seventh the Christians had Vernom at the bat. He got thesecond hit of the Christians during the game. Miller doubled and Herbert Mason doubled. Put down two scores with that. Phillips was out. Jolliffe placed a two bagger somewhere, scoring Mason. Jolly scored the fourth run on another two bagger—Paxton's. With one out Newton singled in the seventh and went the rounds on an error and an out. Score:

Catholics	R	H	P	A	E
Newton, 3	2	3	2	2	0
Urben, 2	0	0	4	4	1
Glasser, l	0	2	0	0	0
Moussioux, m	0	0	1	0	0
Wilson, r	0	0	0	0	0
Schafer, m	0	0	0	0	0
Motts, s	2	1	2	1	0
Fagula, c	0	0	2	0	0
Wheeler, 1	0	1	9	0	0
Patrich, p	1	0	1	2	0
Total	5	7	21	9	1
Chistians	R	H	P	A	E
Frances, 3	0	0	2	0	0
Vernom, m	1	1	3	0	0
Miller, l	1	2	1	1	1
H. Mason, c	1	1	1	1	1
Phillips, 1	0	0	5	1	1
Jolliffee, s	1	1	3	5	1
Paxton, 2	0	1	4	2	1
Cupps, r	0	0	0	0	0
A. Mason, p	0	0	1	1	0
Total	4	6*20	11	5	

*Two out when winning run was scored.

Catholics	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	5
Christians	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4

Two base hits—Newton, Miller, H. Mason, Jolliffe, Paxton. Three base hit—Motts. Stolen bases—Newton, Motts. Struck out—By Patrich 1, by Mason 1. Bases on balls—Off Mason 1. Umpire—Deitz.

CHARLEROI CHURCH LEAGUE

Catholics 5, Christians 4.

Standing of Clubs.

	W	L	P
First Pres	5	1	.884
Catholics	5	2	.714
W. A. Pres	4	2	.667
Methodists	4	4	.500
Baptists	3	4	.429
Christians	3	5	.375
Lutherans	2	4	.333
Episcopals	1	4	.200

Games This Week.

Thursday—Episcopals vs. W. A. Pres.
Friday—First Pres. vs. Baptists.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Chicago 3, New York 0.
All others postponed—rain.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct
New York	47	14	.803
Chicago	41	28	.594
Pittsburg	42	29	.592
Cincinnati	39	35	.527
Philadelphia	31	37	.456
Brooklyn	27	44	.380
St. Louis	29	49	.372

Today's Schedule.

Philadelphia at Pittsburg.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.
New York at Chicago.
Boston at St. Louis.

Tomorrow at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg vs. Brooklyn.

Sore Feet Relieved

Oh! Dance with Joy

Before you leave a store for a 15c Package of KEENE'S GLAD-PHEET Corn and Bunion Remedy

It rests out the corns and pads off the callouses while you sleep.

Our Guarantee—If there are any traces of Corns or Bunions on your feet after a trial of Keene's Glad-Pheet Remedy return the Money-Back Coupon in every package, and your money will be returned immediately.

SURE RELIEF

Makes your feet happy!

COSTS BUT 15c

Sheet of Plaster and Box of Salve 15c (triple size 25c)

Your Druggist recommends it.

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THE REXALL STORE

Our Annual Oxford Sale

Ladies' and Men's Oxfords Greatly Reduced

This sale comes a little earlier than usual but we have too many oxfords and they must go.

Read These Few Prices Carefully

One lot ladies' Red Cross gun metal 3 eyelet Oxfords, regular price $3.50 reduced to..... $2.48

One lot of gun metal and patent leather Red Cross Pumps, 1 strap. Value 3.50 and 4.00 reduced to..... $2.48

One lot ladies' mixed Red Cross made oxfords and pumps, all sizes, regular value $3.50 and $4, now..... $1.79

All pumps, colonial, 1-strap, 2-strap, cross strap, of our celebrated Red Cross make, in most all leathers, all sizes, regular value $3.50 and 4.00, now..... $2.98

All ladies' 2.50 and 2.75 oxfords at..... $2.22

All ladies' 2.00 and 2.25 oxfords, suede, gunmetal, vici kid, etc., at..... $1.28

All men's Ralston oxfords, all styles all leathers, regular price 4.00, at..... $3.38

All 3.50 men's oxfords now reduced to..... $2.88

All 3.00 and some 3.50 men's oxfords at..... $2.28

You will find in these oxfords this season's best styles, and with plenty of oxford weather ahead the man or woman who is far-sighted enough will take advantage of these unusual low prices.

Further, these reductions are honest and fair in every way.

This store never disappoints.

J. J. BEERENS

The right store on the wrong side of the street

513 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa.

Special This Week

Men's and Ladies' SHOES AND OXFORDS worth $3 and $4 our special

$1.00 a pair

Its ADOLPH of Course

502 Fallowfield Avenue - - - - - Charleroi, Penn'a.

Arthur B. Suit, sheriff of Prince Georges county, Md., says he never again will indulge in a fox chase. He always was fond of the sport, but on the occasion of his last chase he had such an unpleasant and exciting experience that he concluded to go after smaller game in the future.

"We had been out but a short while," he related to friends, "before we were on a trail, but it took us some time to dig the fox from his hole. A skunk was the fox's companion and both came out together."

Both animals were killed and taken

"With our party was a dare-devil sort of a fellow," the sheriff said, "and he rode his horse through the village store, the skunk hanging to the animal's side.

"The store was quickly deserted," he added, "and I resolved to participate in no more such hunts."

The popular idea is that dictionary makers are about as infallible as makers of literature can be, and yet from the earliest times the mistakes of the lexicographers have furnished amusement. In our day the Century Dictionary has been supposed to be about the last word in such compilations, and yet it has been pointed out that one joke on the Century occurs under the heading "Question, to pop the. See Pop," which may be excellent advice, but raises a laugh, nevertheless.

When the Forty Immortals were engaged in making the dictionary of the

up for a gloss; they were about agreed to define it as "a little red fish that walks backward" when Furetiere pointed out that it was no doubt a good definitions, save for the fact that the animal is not a fish, it is not red until it is boiled, and it does not walk backward.